

## LOCAL LANDINGS ARE FAIR

### GOOD-SIZED FLEET OF DRAG- GERS AND SMALL TRAWL- ERS BROUGHT TRIPS.

Local dealers received a fair amount of groundfish and sole today, the fleet which fished yesterday bringing back pretty good receipts for their day's work. The fares ran from a few hundred pounds up to 6000 pounds, the latter being landed by the dragger Josephine and Mary.

William McDonald had five trawlers and draggers yesterday afternoon and this morning, the Producers' Fish Company had three draggers, Murray & Tarr one dragger and two trawlers. The Cape Ann Cold Storage took out two small trawlers and Hall & Murray had the fares of four trawlers. Yesterday seven of the gill netters hauled their gear, and landed a total catch of 11,500 pounds of groundfish, the largest single haul being only 2500 pounds.

#### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Elsie, trawling, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Josephine and Mary, dragging, 6000 lbs. fresh fish.

St. Provvidenza, dragging, 4000 lbs. fresh fish.

Gertrude E., trawling, 1500 lbs. fresh fish.

LaPaloma, trawling, 1800 lbs. fresh fish.

Rose Marie, trawling, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

St. Rosalie, dragging, 3500 lbs. fresh fish.

Florence and John, trawling, 800 lbs. fresh fish.

Emily, trawling, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

Carlo and Vence, dragging, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.

Rosie C., dragging, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sloop Lillian, trawling, 900 lbs. fresh fish.

Nephys, trawling, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

D446, trawling, 100 lbs. fresh fish.

D77, trawling, 1600 lbs. fresh fish.

1139C, trawling, 1600 lbs. fresh fish.

C6162, trawling, 400 lbs. fresh fish.

Evelina M. Goultart, trawling.

Bethulia, dragging, 1500 lbs. fresh fish.

St. Peter, dragging, 2000 lbs. fresh fish.

Yesterday's Gill Net Receipts.

Edna Fae, 2000 lbs. fresh fish.

Enterprise, 2000 lbs. fresh fish.

Liboria C., 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

Nashawena, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

Alicia, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

Virginia and Joan, 2500 lbs. fresh fish.

Agnes and Myrnie, 2000 lbs. fresh fish.

#### PORT OF GLOUCESTER.

##### Arrived.

Tug Tamaqua, Philadelphia, via Boston, towing barge Cacoosing, with coal for Griffin and Company.

##### Sailed

A. Platt Andrew, shore.

## SIZABLE FLEET AT FISH PIER

### THIRTY-TWO ARRIVALS THIS MORNING HAVE OVER 500,000 POUNDS.

Prices were a little easier on codfish when trading began this morning at the Boston fish pier but had-dock was in good demand at \$4.50 to \$6. There were 32 arrivals. Fares were small as a rule and receipts totalled only 226,000 pounds of groundfish and 287,000 pounds of mixed fish.

The Yarmouth boat brought a consignment of 149 crates of live lobsters, a smaller lot than usual, due to recent stormy weather.

#### Boston Arrivals and Receipts

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Str. Newton, 29,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 46,000 mixed fish.

Str. Winthrop, 20,000 haddock, 2500 cod, 18,000 mixed fish.

Str. White Cap, 17,000 haddock, 4500 cod, 34,000 mixed fish.

Gov. Al Smith, 11,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 12,000 mixed fish.

Funchal, 1200 haddock, 200 cod, 2500 mixed fish.

Henrietta, 6500 haddock, 1700 cod, 7000 mixed fish.

Marjorie Parker, 3200 haddock, 3000 cod, 10,000 mixed fish.

Dacia, 5000 haddock, 3000 cod, 16,000 mixed fish.

Shamrock, 25,000 haddock, 27,000 cod, 17,000 mixed fish.

Wanderer, 32,000 haddock, 28,000 cod, 40,000 mixed fish.

Carmella Maria, 2400 mixed fish.

St. John, 2500 mixed fish.

Uncle Sam, 4000 mixed fish.

Alphonso, 4300 mixed fish.

Rose Marie, 6000 mixed fish.

Angie and Vencie, 7000 mixed fish.

Famiglia, 3500 mixed fish.

Jackson and Arthur, 5000 mixed fish.

Salvatore, 1800 mixed fish.

Mary G., 500 mixed fish.

Annie and Josephine, 3500 mixed fish.

Victoria, 3000 mixed fish.

Grace A., 2800 mixed fish.

Lucy, 3000 mixed fish.

St. Theresa, 1500 mixed fish.

St. Joseph II, 3800 mixed fish.

Isabella, 2000 mixed fish.

Two Pals, 4000 mixed fish.

Maria Concetta, 6900 mixed fish.

Capt. Drum, 7000 mixed fish.

Little Joe, 8300 mixed fish.

Serafina N., 3600 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$4.50 to \$6 per cwt.; large cod, \$2 to \$3; market cod, \$2; hake, \$1 to \$1.50; pollock, \$1; cusk, \$1.50; gray sole, 4 1-2 cents per lb.; lemon sole, 10 cents; black backs, 4 cents; yellow tails, 2 cents; dabs, 1 cent; redfish, 1-2 cent to 2 1-2 cents; catfish, 2 cents.

#### Boneless Herring Low.

The record low price for boxed boneless smoked herring was reached this week, when offers of less than three cents a pound were received from western buyers by Lubec, Me., packers.

As this figure represents considerably less than the cost of preparation it amounts virtually to a holdup of the industry, and there is no prospect of taking any large herring until packers can work off their present stock, now being held in hope of an advance in February and March.

It is considered likely that it will be July or August before any more fish for smoking are taken.

## THREE CRAFT DUE WITH N. F. HERRING

### ALL HAVE CARGOES OF SALT AND PICKLED FISH—NO FROZEN HERRING.

It is understood that three Canadian schooners, laden with salt bulk and pickled herring, are due here shortly, their cargoes being consigned to various dealers.

It is also understood that there will be no frozen herring cargoes this season, either because of the weather at the Islands, or a scarcity of herring. Sch. Pilgrim is tied up at the Maritime wharf waiting advice from Newfoundland as to conditions there. Capt. Pine expects to receive word today whether it will be profitable to send the Pilgrim back for another load or fit her for some other branch of the fisheries.

#### Portland Arrivals.

Nearly 110,000 pounds of groundfish, the largest day's receipts since last spring, were landed at Portland yesterday by 12 vessels. The fares were the Aberrance, 20,000 pounds; the New Dawn, 12,000 pounds; the Benjamin Thompson, 10,000 pounds; the Richard J. Nunan, the Fannie Belle and the George Bowden, 9000 pounds each; the Alice M. Doughty, II., the Eleanor, and the Verna G., 8000 pounds each; the Elinor and Jean, 7000 pounds; the Bernie and Bessie, 4500 pounds; and the Alice M. Doughty, 4000 pounds.

#### Hauled Up Oil Tank.

Capt. Nicholas Cole, skipper of the Boston beam trawler Georgetown at the Boston fish pier, yesterday, reported that on Sunday, on Georges, a 300-gallon oil tank was swept up in the otter trawl. It is believed that the tank is one lost overboard a few weeks ago from another Boston trawler. Because there was no room for it in board the tank was dropped back into the deep.

#### N. F. Herring News.

Operations in the herring fishery since our last issue have been slow. On Monday of last week boats averaged ten tubs, while yesterday they got nothing.

The catch to date is about 8500 barrels. The packing is practically over, and it is estimated the entire pack by the Scotch method for the season will not exceed 10,000 barrels.

The s. s. Kyvid is now in Middle Arm, discharging salt for various firms. She will proceed loading herring for New Year.

The s. s. Maginhilt is due to clean up the balance of the herring, and as this will likely be the last means of shipping, packers are about finished for the season.—Western Star, Bay of Islands.